

STATISTICS FROM THE CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE (5-YEAR CYCLE)

FARMS	2002	1997	1992	1987
NUMBER	1,444	1,771	1,613	1,756
ACREAGE	756,937	835,271	836,989	869,969
AVERAGE SIZE (ACRES)	524	472	519	495
MEDIAN SIZE (ACRES)	28	25	N	N
AVERAGE ESTIMATED MARKET VALUE PER FARM (\$)				
LAND & BUILDINGS	1,893,146	1,378,216	1,236,734	739,708
MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT	118,593	81,575	60,049	44,033
CROPLAND (ACRES)				
TOTAL	154,937	157,213	143,141	144,549
HARVESTED	105,137	107,519	91,121	91,383
IRRIGATED	107,639	104,272	79,424	76,171
MARKET VALUE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD				
COUNTY TOTAL VALUE (\$1,000)	717,257	668,530	391,021	287,766
AVERAGE PER FARM (\$)	496,715	377,487	242,419	163,876
NET CASH SALES RETURN PER FARM				
AVERAGE (\$)	109,405	148,810	44,467	36,898
LIVESTOCK (INVENTORY)				
CATTLE & CALVES	43,334	71,619	69,026	88,213
BEEF COWS	19,482	31,548	30,221	30,987
MILK COWS	2,669	3,448	3,860	4,665
HOGS & PIGS	721	201	269	796
SHEEP & LAMBS	8,212	10,250	D	15,948
LAYERS (20 WEEKS OR OLDER)	D	D	D	D
BROILER & CHICKEN (SOLD)	D	D	D	D
COMMODITY HARVESTED (ACRES)				
CORN, GRAIN OR SEED	15	N	N	N
CORN, SILAGE OR GREENCHOP	491	N	N	N
SORGHUM, GRAIN OR SEED	N	N	N	N
WHEAT	D	D	2,841	4,169
BARLEY	N/A	2,077	3,511	2,842
OATS	232	N	N	N
RICE	0	0	0	0
SUNFLOWER SEED	N	N	N	N
COTTON	0	0	0	0
TOBACCO	N	N	N	N
SOYBEANS	N	N	N	N
DRY EDIBLE BEANS, EXCL. LIMAS	846	N	N	N
POTATOES EXCL. SWEET POTATOES	N	N	N	N
SUGARBEETS FOR SUGAR	N	N	N	N
SUGARCANE FOR SUGAR	N	N	N	N
PEANUTS FOR NUTS	N	N	N	N
FORAGE LAND (ALFALFA, HAY,) 1/	6,417	11,632	12,361	17,688

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VEGETABLES FOR SALE				
NUMBER OF FARMS	115	174	167	139
ACREAGE	63,794	66,869	50,673	31,152
ORCHARDS				
NUMBER OF FARMS	N/A	643	708	651
ACREAGE	41,321	25,553	23,862	24,416
PRIMARY OPERATOR'S OCCUPATION (NUMBER)				
FARMING	890	755	811	970
NON-FARMING	554	404	556	544
GOVERNMENT PAYMENT PROGRAM PARTICIPATION				
NUMBER OF FARMS	48	N/A	N/A	N/A
PERCENT OF TOTAL	3.32%	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTAL PAYMENTS RECEIVED (\$1,000)	538	334	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE PAYMENT RECEIVED PER FARM (\$)	11,209	5,760	N/A	N/A

1/ AREA COUNTED ONLY ONCE (ALL HAY, ALFALFA, SMALL GRAIN, GRASS SILAGE, GREENCHOP).

N - REPRESENTS ZERO.

0 - REPRESENTS AN INSIGNIFICANT AMOUNT.

D - WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSING DATA FOR INDIVIDUAL FARMS.

Z - LESS THAN HALF OF THE UNIT SHOWN

SOURCE: USDA, NASS, 2002 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE.